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The mfg, system uses a pre-operative image of the damaged knee joint provided by a computer tomography, or nuclear magnetic resonance, imaging appts. The pre-operative image is corrected to obtain contours for the femur and the tibia corresponding to a healthy knee joint. The pre-operative image is compared with a post operative image, for providing the components of the endoprosthesis for the femur and the tibia in dependence on the indicated differences between the femur and tibia contours for the 2 images.

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